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STRANGE DOUBLE SUICIDE.

A Guilty Pair Discarded by Their Friends "Shoot Niagara."

[Buffalo Express.]

The inquest in the case of Mrs. Sadie E. Stewart, late of Silver Creek, N. Y., who was found drowned in the Nigara river on the 12th inst., was concluded yesterday afternoon before Coroner W. H. Cornell, at the police head quarters at Niagara Falls. The enquiry into the cause of death of Dr. Egerton R. Howie, late of Forestville, N. Y., who was also found drowned in the same river on the 14th inst., was held before the same coroner.

When the bodies were discovered, one after the other, a great deal of interest was manifested in the cases on account of their peculiar surroundings, and the intimate, though questionable, relation that existed between the parties and the morbid sentiments that must have existed in their minds with a reciprocity of feeling seldom experienced, and rarely heard outside of French romanticism.

DR. HOWIE, OF DRUMMONDVILLE.

Six years ago there came to Silver Creek from Drummondville, Ont., Dr. E. R. Howie, with his wife and a family of small children. Dr. Howie was a man of fine presence and address and he was soon established in a paying practice. Everything went on smoothly until about three years ago, when he became Mrs. Stewart's physician. He took advantage of his professional intimacy most shamefully. She, unfortunately, was of just the disposition to encourage his advances. Scandal grew apace. The trouble was silenced but not forgotten. Dr. Howie, too, was slowly falling from the honorable station which he had taken when first coming to Silver Creek. He was frequently under the influence of drink and became cruel and brutal to his wife. Early this spring, finding his practice dwindle to a starvation point, and animated, let us hope, by an honest intention to start anew, he left Silver Creek and moved to the village of Forestville, five miles distant. Ostensibly to receive treatment and to make a friendly visit Mrs. Stewart went to Howie's and was a guest at his house. Very soon after her arrival Mrs. Howie detected Mrs. Stewart and the docto in relations which no forbearance could tolerate. With an energy of action which should have come sooner, Mrs. Howie seized a broomstick and gave them a blow which left its marks on the face of each—and a mark which one of the parties, at least, wore until her death. The scene that followed cannot be described. The brutal husband felled his wife with a blow and notwithstanding she was in a delicate condition kicked her most cruelly. Mrs. Howie, in a mental agony that made her forgetful of bodily pain, hastened to Mr. Stewart to whom she laid bare the whole story. She then took steps towards procuring a divorce. It is asserted also that a similar action was begun by Mr. Stewart. This was early in July. Mrs. Stewart came to this city where she was sheltered by her brother, Mr. Mark Hawkins. Owing to excitement, and probably other causes, she was in a state of mind bordering on insanity. In all charity she may be look upon as crazed in the end of her career. She was joined in the city by Howie, as is further stated on what seems perfectly reliable authority and on the 7th inst. they were seen at Niagara Falls together. They had arrived there the night before registering at the Western Hotel as "E. V. Gilbert and wife, Rome, N. Y." They returned to Buffalo on Thursday, the 7th, but went back to the falls that night. From that evening until the finding of their bruised and swollen bodies—already described in the *Express*—no trace was had of either of them. On the evening of the suicide Dr. Howie mailed a letter to his wife, acknowledging his intention of making away with himself and containing expressions of contrition and sympathy for his family.

The inquiry in the case of Mrs. Stewart was opened last Friday afternoon. An affidavit of Theodore Stewart, the husband, was read, in which he testified that the ring shown him was the one worn by his wife, and he supposed she had it on when she left home. He also identified the shawl shown him to be one that belonged to his wife, Sadie E. Stewart.

An affidavit of Mr. M. H. Hawkins, of this city, a brother of the deceased, was also read, in which he stated that he identified the purse shown him as that belonging to Mrs. Sadie E. Stewart, of Silver Creek, N. Y.; he also identified the body found July 12th in the river below the falls as that of the said Mrs. Sadie E. Stewart.

Max Amberg testified that he resided at Niagara Falls, and was a merchant clothier. He knew Mrs. Sadie E. Stewart, and saw her about nine o'clock on the evening of the 7th inst.; she was with Dr. Howie. They passed his store and crossed the street; they went toward the park. He was well acquainted with Dr. Howie. He had seen her on Wednesday, July 6th, several times in company with Dr. Howie, and had heard something of her intimacy with him while living at Silver Creek. Mrs. Stewart was a member of a church, sang in the choir, and moved in good society while witness was living there.

The following letter was then read by the coroner:

DR. HOWIE'S LETTER.

BUFFALO, Thursday.

MRS. HOWIE,—As I am about to take a step which can never be recalled, let me before doing so say a few words of advice as equals. The children, I am sure, mother will take them, and provide well for them, so do not hesitate to let her have them. The following is a list of those who owe me, and from whom I know you can call upon immediately and procure the means for present use. I would also wish to say if my body is ever recovered I would prefer to have it buried in the States. Hoping to be forgiven an act which I can no longer control. Goodbye.

Yours yet, E. R. HOWIE.

Would send for mother immediately. Tell her not to feel too bad. I shall be much happier, and my only regret is the children. God help and be merciful to them.

MRS. STEWART'S LETTER.

Thursday, p.m.

THEODORE,—It was of no earthly use for me to try to take any interest in life. The truth *is* all that I have felt *any* interest in for the last three years is taken out of my life. I do not need to explain the meaning of this to you. You *know too* well. Since my return I have been more wretched than before, and I plainly see there is no *future* for me. I earnestly entreat your pardon for the wrong I have done you. You were a faithful, indulgent, *ever* kind husband. How I have recompensed all this with ingratitude and worse, you know also and so does the world, but the world *never will know the redeeming* feature which led me astray. If *any poor woman* ever sinned and suffered for it, *I am that* woman. Don't betray my miserable weakness in the past three or four weeks. Don't tell how I have veered about in my opinion. *Please* destroy this package of letters *without* reading. *I know I can trust you* to do as I wish you to. I am suffering and dying and that seems *all*, for dead in my breast lays the once happy heart of

SADIE.

The words in italics are underscored in the original letter.

The jury at once returned a verdict of premeditated suicide.

English Mail.

(Per steamer Geo. E. Starr.)

A member of the Carleton Club, of London, was so uncivil to the club servants that they appealed to the Governing Committee. The member was censured but not expelled. One gentlemen who took his part said that no member of the Carleton Club should be expelled unless he cheated at cards or was a follower of Mr. Gladstone.

The Edinburgh *Scotsman* made a curious slip in a recent issue by announcing that "Mr. Macdonald, late premier of Canada, who was in the House of Commons," on a certain evening, and "spoke hopefully of the free trade party in Canada." Mr. Mackenzie was no doubt meant, but as Sir John Macdonald is now in tke Old Country the mistake is a curious one.

London papers say that a number of British peeresses and other ladies of distinction have formed an association to encourage the use of British manufactures in preference to foreign. Their idea is that the circumstance of woollen fabrics having gone out of fashion has caused the depression in the wool trade.

Ups and Downs of Wedlock.

PATERSON, N. J., July 18.—Wm. Monfirth and his wife Mabel, the former the leader of the choir, and the latter the organist of the Methodist church, were arrested of bigamy and non support of his family to day for unlawful cohabitation, charges being also preferred against Monfirth. The arrests were made on complaint of a Mrs. Williams, who arrived from England a few days ago, and claims Monfirth as her husband. She says his right name is Williams, and he deserted her and four children ten years ago, and eloped with a Mrs Fox, who has a husband living. The couple do not deny the allegation. Monfirth claims that his wife was untrue to him, and Mrs. Fox that her husband abused her. Both were gaoled. Mrs. Williams and her four daughters took possession of the house owned by Monfirth. The affair causes much excitement.

OOLACHANS FOR THE MILLION.—Naas River oolachans in small kits for family use, and in half-barrels, will be sold at remarkably low prices by FELL & Co., Family Grocers, Fort street.

CUSTOMS BLANKS.—Duty blanks with with the new form of oath attached are now on sale at *The Colonist* stationery store.

A Pretty German Custom.

There is a pretty custom among the Germans of having chorals played from the church towers at regular hours of the day. It is said they first derived the idea from the Arabs, who, at certain hours of the day and night, are called to prayers by the long wailing cry of the muezzins from the minarets of the mosques. When I first heard this music in Stuttgart, coming as it appeared to me from the heavens, I was puzzled to know its object and the source whence it came. I gazed above and around me, but I failed to detect its source. The beautiful melody, softened by distance, was floating in the air. It was like the invisible heavenly choir that enraptured St. Cecelia. A few days afterwards, happening to be in the same neighborhood and at the same hour of the day, I was more fortunate in my discoveries. I again heard the music from above, its pealing notes coming to me from some far distance like the strains of a church organ. Near me was the Stifts Kirche, an old church built in 1308, which has attached to it an immense octagon tower rising up a height of nearly 200 feet. Encircling this tower near the top is a balcony on which I at last espied the authors of the strange music. Several men with brass instruments were perched on the giddy height playing sacred music. When they had finished one piece they moved to another position on the balcony and played a different tune. Four selections in all were played, one toward each point of the compass. On making inquiries afterwards I found that this playing from the church tower had been in practice for more than 100 years. A German lady "one upon a time" belonging to one of the noble families bequeathed a sum of money, the income of which was ever after to be devoted to paying the expenses of this religious observance. The clause in her will stated that chorals or selections of sacred music were to be played from the church tower twice a day punctually every morning at the rising of the sun, and also from 11:30 o'clock to 12 o'clock at noon. The musicians for their services are paid two marks (50 cents) a day each—a mark for the morning and a mark for the noon service, which, for walking up and down that long flight of steps in addition to playing several pieces of church music, is a small enough remuneration. Chorals are also played from another of the church towers in Stutgart by a brass band, and also from church towers in Ludwigsburg, Rossenstenin, Friedorichshafen, near Stuttgart, and in others of the very old German cities and towns.—*Letter to Springfield Republican.*

The Kind of a Fellow He Was.

A very high-toned-looking young man, in exquisite mustache, loud plaid clothes, red necktie, low-crowned hat, straw-colored kids, and knitting-needle cane, walked into a tobacco shop, and, throwing down a half-dollar on the counter, said: "Well, this is the worst town I ever saw; a gentleman can't get anything in it satisfactory, and I am utterly unable to see how a person of fastidious taste can live here. I say, Mr. Shopkeeper, can you sell a fellow a decent cigar?"

"Yes, sir," said the cigar man, meekly.

"Well then, fly around lively and do it. Don't you see that half-dollar?"

"Yes, sir. What kind of a cigar do you wish, sir?"

"What kind?"

"Yes, sir."

"Why, look at me, sir, a moment, and see for yourself what kind of a cigar would suit me," and he drew himself up grandly and gazed down on the shopkeeper.

The shopkeeper looked and then took in the half-dollar, got out a cigar, handed it to the man with 49 cents change, and said: "I owe you a half a cent, sir, but I can't make change unless you take another cigar."

The nice young man looked at the shopkeeper and then at the cigar, and then at himself, and, without a single word, walked out of the shop.—*Steubenville Herald.*

Short Sermons.

A bad temper defeats the skill of the best cook.

Wrinkles disfigure a woman less than ill-nature.

He who has nothing to do has no business to live.

He that fears you present will hate you absent.

Men acquire acuteness, women are born with it.

It costs more to avenge wrongs than to bear them.

A man used to vicissitudes is not easily dejected.

It is weak and vicious people who cast the blame on fate.

Search others for their virtues and thyself for thy vices.

No man has any time to form any definite idea of eternity.

It is necessary to be almost a genius to make a good husband.

The man who minds his own business has a good steady employment.

The road to home happiness lies over small stepping-stones. Slight circumstances are the stumbling blocks of families.

The One Mechanic Buried in Westminster Abbey.

Notwithstanding England's enormous indebtedness to her mechanics, but one mechanical workingman has ever been honored with a burial in Westminster Abbey; and that was Graham, the clockmaker. Graham made exact astronomy possible by his great improvements in time pieces. He invented the dead-beat escapement and the gridiron compensating pendulum, and he was the first to make clocks that would run for many days without winding. Graham was also a maker of great quadrants and instruments of that sort. His funeral was attended by all the members of the Royal Society.

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BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT ISSUED OUT OF THE Supreme Court of Victoria, B. C., and to me directed on the 13th day of July, 1881, I have seized and distrained upon the Furniture, Goods, Chattels, Bar and all its splendid fixings, Oil Lamps, Chandeliers, Chairs, Tables, large Mirror, large Water Fountain, Cooking Range and all other goods and chattels on the premises known as the St. Charles Music Hall, including one Theatrical Stage and Scenery complete, and have removed the same for convenience of sale to Mr. Moody's brick building on Yates street, and will sell the same on THURSDAY, 4th day of August next, by Auction, at 11 o'clock, a. m., in lots to suit, for CASH. The goods may be seen on the day previous to sale from 10 to 4 o'clock.

THOS. HARRIS, Sheriff.

Victoria, B. C., July 27th, 1881. jy28

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NOTICES.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE CHINESE RESIDENTS OF VICTORIA ASK a suspension of public opinion respecting the occurrence of yesterday until the case has been heard in the courts. Our people landing from the Quinta were met with a demand for the payment of a school tax. Not being residents they resisted the collector, demanding to be placed on the same footing as white passengers arriving at this port. If violence resulted the officers have themselves to blame. We have engaged the services of legal gentlemen and intend to fight the case. All we ask of the Government here is just and fair treatment, which we intend to have, if we have to carry the case to Ottawa or London. Two years ago we suffered great injustice and have never been compensated for our losses. If the Government have any just tax to collect of Chinese residents they never have to call twice; but we shall not submit to tyranny. It is the shame of all good British men that the laws are so unequally administered and our only hope is in the courts.

CHINESE RESIDENTS.

Victoria, July 2d. jy3 1m

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETIRING FROM business in Victoria takes occasion to return thanks to his friends and customers for their past liberal support, and has pleasure in bespeaking for his successor (Mr. Henry Jewell) a continuance of that generous patronage so freely bestowed upon him.

GEORGE MANSELL.

N. B.—Outstanding debts, due the late firm of G. Mansell & Co. will be paid to Henry Jewell, who is authorized to receive the same and grant receipts therefor. Prompt payments will be required.

jy6 1m G. MANSELL.

IN RE ESTATE OF EDWARD WILBY, DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY GIVEN ME BY the Supreme Court of British Columbia to administer said estate, I hereby request all persons having claims thereon to send in the same within 30 days from date hereof, and all who are indebted to the same are requested to make prompt payment thereof to me.

ESTHER WILBY,
Administratrix.

Victoria, 25th July, 1881. jy28 1m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as STONE CUTTERS, doing business in this city, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm and all accounts against it will be received or paid by John Mortimer.

JOHN MORTIMER,
W. G. REID.

Witness—
W. BODDY.

Victoria, 27th July, 1881. jy28 1w

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE INtend to make application to purchase twenty-three thousand and forty (23,040) Acres of Crown Land situate at False Head, Broughton Strait and Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, commencing at the Southeast corner post of Section No. 1, Quatsino District, situate on Rupert Arm, Quatsimo Sound; thence true North following the East Boundary of said Section No. 1, 80 chains, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said section No. 1; thence true North two miles; thence true East nine miles; thence true North two miles, more or less, to False Head on Broughton Strait; thence in an Easterly direction to a point on the shore of Broughton Strait, four miles, more or less; thence true South two miles, more or less, to a point true East from the head of Rupert Arm; thence true West nine miles, more or less, to the head of Rupert Arm; thence in a Westerly direction, following the sinuosities of the shore to the initial point.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

J. ROLAND HETT,
M. W. WAITT,
DONALD McLEAN,
H. S. ROEBUCK,
ARTHUR STANHOPE FARWELL.

Victoria, B.C., May 30th, 1881. je21

MUNICIPAL ROAD TAX.

PAYMENT OF THE ABOVE TAX TO SECURE a vote at the Municipal Election must be made this week and not later.

W. K. BULL, Collector.

P. S.—Mr. Bull is in his office daily from 12 to 1 o'clock. jy3

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS, UNDER COVER, WILL BE RECEIVed at the City Clerk's office until Wednesday, August 3rd proximo, for Grading Pandora street, between Vancouver and Cook streets.

Plans and Specifications can be seen daily at the Council Chambers from 10 to 4 o'clock.

Satisfactory Bonds will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, July 28, 1881. jy29

Royal Cariboo Hospital.

BARKERVILLE, 25th June, 1881.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNATION and proposed departure from Cariboo of Dr. Orange, resident physician and surgeon to the Royal Cariboo Hospital, the Hospital Board, in accordance with the expressed wishes of the people of the District, offer a Bonus of NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER ANNUM to a duly qualified practitioner, who will take charge of the Hospital in conjunction with the present resident physician, Dr. Chipp, to whom it is proposed to pay a similar allowance.

Applications will be received at Barkerville up to the 6th of August.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria.

By order of the Board.

jy3dw WM. RENNIE, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, &c., New Westminster," B.C., will be received at this office until TUESDAY, the 30th day of August next, inclusively, for the erection of Post Office, &c., at New Westminster, British Columbia.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of Hon. J. W. Trutch, Victoria, B. C., and at the Post Office, New Westminster, on and after Monday, the 1st day of August next.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

This Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,

F. H. ENNIS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 18th July, 1881. jy31

COALS, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, BISCUIT AND SOFT BREAD, FIREWOOD, LIME AND LUMBER.

ROYAL NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT,
1st July, 1881.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until Noon of MONDAY, the 1st AUGUST next, for supplying such quantities of Coals, Fresh Beef and Mutton, Vegetables, Biscuit and Soft Bread, Firewood, Lime and Lumber, as may be required for Navy purposes, between the 1st October, 1881, and the 30th September, 1882.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to them selves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

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NOTICE.

DURING THE TEMPORARY ABSENCE OF THE undersigned Mr. J. C. BALES will transact the business of the Lancashire Insurance Company.

A. R. GREEN.

Victoria, V.I., 20th July, 1881. jy21

MEDICAL

DR. SPINNEY & CO'S DISPENSARY,

No. 11 KEARNEY STREET SAN FRANCISCO.

DR. SPINNEY, well known as the founder of the Montreal (C. E.) Medical Institute, and late Proprietor of the SPINNEYVILLE INFIRMARY, would most respectfully inform his patients and the afflicted generally, that he still continues to treat chronic and nervous diseases with unparalleled success.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN

Remember that procrastination is the thief of ...

COME AND BE HEALED!

It matters not what you troubles may be come and let the Doctor examine your case. It will cost you nothing for consultation, so please call and satisfy yourselves whether the Doctor understands your case. If he can cure you he will tell you so; if not, he will tell you that, for he will not undertake a case unless he is confident of effecting a cure.

Parties at a distance wishing treatment, by sending $25 and a minute description of their troubles will receive in return a full course of treatment securely packed so as not to excite curiosity.

DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit Five Hundred Dollars for every case of any kind or character which he undertakes and fails to cure.

P. S. For diseases of short standing a full course of medicines, sufficient for a cure, with all instructions, will be sent to any address on receipt of $10.

Call or Address

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No. 11 Kearney St., San Francisco.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

Is a never-failing Cure for Nervous Debility, Exhausted Vitality, Weakness of any kind, Paralysis, and all the terrible effects of youthful follies and excesses in maturer years. Those who cannot visit DR. MINTIE in San Francisco should send full and minute statement of their troubles with $25, and in return a full course of treatment will be forwarded secured packed so as not to excite curiosity.

DR. MINTIE will agree to forfeit FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS for a case of this kind the VITAL RESTORATIVE (under his special advice and treatment) will not cure, or for anything impure or injurious found in it. DR. MINTIE treats all Diseases successfully without mercury. CONSULTATION FREE. Thorough examination and advice $5 00. Price of VITAL RESTORATIVE, $3 00 a bottle, or four times the quantity, $10; sent to any address upon receipt of price, or C.O.D., secure from observation, and in private name if desired, by A. E. MINTIE, M. D., 11 KEARNEY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL

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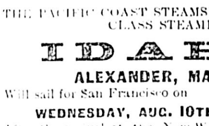

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO.'S FIRST CLASS STEAMER

IDAHO,

ALEXANDER, MASTER,

Will sail for San Francisco on

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 10TH, AT 3 P. M.

After the arrival of the New Westminster steamer.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 P. M. on Tuesday, 9th inst.

The steamer Woodside will convey passengers from our wharf at 1 P. M. on date of sailing.

For Freight and Passage apply to

au5 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

STEAMBOAT OPPOSITION.

THE NEW, SWIFT AND COMMODIOUS STEAM boat

CASSIAR

Is now making Regular Trips, carrying Freight and Passengers at the following popular rates:

FREIGHT.	
New Westminster to Yale, per ton	$2 00
PASSAGE.	
New Westminster to Yale	$2 00
Meals and Beds	60
Yale to Victoria	3 00
Yale to New Westminster, Cabin	1 00
do do Deck	50

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES GREAT PLEAsure in informing the traveling public that he has completed arrangements for running the above steamer between New Westminster and Yale, calling at all way ports and landing freight and passengers, and that he is prepared to contract for Freight, Cattle, Sheep, etc., for the remainder of the season at the Lowest Current Rates. For full particulars apply on board.

Travelers and Shippers are particularly requested to report to the Manager any neglect of duty on the part of any officer connected with this line.

CHAS. T. MILLARD, Manager.

Victoria, June 29th, 1881. jy1 1m

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE IS only 16 feet at ordinary low tides on the north end of the Rocky Patch in Baynes Channel, and lying nearly midway between Cadboro and Channel Points, and marked on the Admiralty Chart No. 577 as having 4½ fathoms upon it. The reef extends about 250 feet North and South and 150 feet East and West.

The sailing directions given in the *Vancouver Pilot* in passing through the Inner Channel will clear this reef.

F. REVELY,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.

Victoria, B.C., 11th July, 1881. jy12 3t2w

CHANGE IN

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

THE STEAMERS OF THE EAST COAST ROUTE will run as formerly,

COMMENCING TUESDAY, THE 19TH INSTANT,

MAKING FORTNIGHTLY TRIPS TO

NANAIMO, COMOX & WAY PORTS

AND RETURNING ON FRIDAYS.

And every Alternate Week will make

TWO TRIPS TO NANAIMO,

Leaving Victoria on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, returning on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS.

The Steamer Maude has been withdrawn from the Nanaimo and New Westminster Route.

jy1 JOSEPH SPRATT.

FROM PORTLAND.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Company's Steamer

"LOS ANGELES"

Will sail from Astoria on 4th August, carrying Freight from Portland at same rate as steamer CALIFORNIA.

Apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents.

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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 7TH, 1881.

MR. W. HARRISON
Is the only person at Yale who is authorized to receive Subscriptisns for the DAILY and WEEKLY COLONIST.

AN ADDRESS TO SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

We take it for granted that a Municipal address will be presented to Sir CHARLES TUPPER shortly after his arrival. The document will, we hope, be practical in tone. It will be respectful, as a matter of course. While strongly pressing upon the notice of the Minister of Railways and Canals the needs of the province it will avoid the use of irritating language. Naturally, the first subject that will be touched upon will be the Island railway, the necessity for the construction of which is becoming daily more apparent. It will be the duty of the Mayor and Council to point out the very serious pecuniary losses which have resulted from the tying up of the Island lands; the delusive hopes that were raised, and the danger that exists of the only good coal lands on the Pacific Coast passing into foreign hands. The next topic of importance will probably be the railway lands. These lands are now locked up. Applications to purchase or pre empt them are not entertained, and the province is suffering for want of settlers, while the inducements offered and the facilities afforded by the Dominion government for settling the lands of the northwest are attracting a steady stream of immigration thither. The contrast between the administration of the British Columbia lands and those of the Northwest is so marked as to constitute ground for a respectful yet vigorous protest. Next there is the improvement of Victoria harbor, which was most unceremoniously stopped and the dredger towed to New Westminster where it now lies in an ignoble condition of inactivity. The unsatisfactory state of the quarantine regulations might be very properly referred to, and Sir CHARLES told that the want of a proper code has damaged the reputation of the port with shipowners and masters. The importance of the establishment of daily mail communication with Puget Sound and more frequent mail communication with New Westminster and the ports of the northern coast might be brought to our visitor's notice. Attention should be drawn to the priceless value of the fisheries, the impetus their development has given to commerce and manufactures, and the pressing necessity that is felt for the establishment of a Hatchery at some advantageous point. As matters are now on Fraser river the country is not only killing the golden egg-laying goose, but they are throwing away the egg as well. These are some of the matters to which we deem it essential that the attention of Sir CHARLES TUPPER should be called. In wording the address, however, the fact must not be forgotten that the government of which Sir CHARLES is a leading member has ever shown a sincere desire to treat with British Columbia in a friendly spirit; and that the slight wave of prosperity which is now passing over the province is directly due to the commencement of railway construction within its borders. The MACDONALD government staked their existence upon the policy of keeping faith with British Columbia, and British Columbia, while pressing for the fulfilment of her just claims, is prepared to manifest her appreciation in a public and marked manner when Sir CHARLES TUPPER shall have arrived.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF THE GENUINE SINGER.

PRICE, $35, NOT $65

The public require no caution from a used up opposition agent. These machines are rapidly finding a place in families as the best Singer machines (and they are THE best) ever imported into the Provinc. Their two extensive Factories, considered to be the largest and most complete in the world, enable the manufacturers to place those machlnes before the public upon their merits as the most perfect of all Singers and at a reasonable price. Send your orders direct to headquarters. *Price, $35 with attachments.*

N. B.—No other Singer gives as long a guarantee. T. W. FLETCHER, Fort st.

To arrive in a few days a large shipment of the world-renowned Wanzers. *

Hoar! Hoar! Hoar!

The Fort Street Machine man again advertises that he has received a shipment of Genuine Singers. Why, the idiotic fellow has not and never did have a Genuine Singer in his shop, for they are only sold by responsible parties. Selling bogus Singers, thereby deluding the public, doctoring machines with emery powder, cutting and scraping others, is more clearly his occupation than dealing with the original and genuine Singer, whose agents are responsible men wholly unused to such tricks. The man's last trick of a short time ago was cutting and disfiguring two of the genuine Singers on their way to Nanaimo for which the captain of the boat was going to give him a flying leap overboard. The man's conscience smote him and he delivered a short prayer for forgiveness of his past sins and tricks and prayed for mercy when the captain suspended the rod of justice. What machine does he want now? A new one by the next full moon when his idiotic spells take him? Himself and his machines are played out in Victoria and elsewhere and he is now trying to pass inferior secondhand articles on the public of Victoria and vicinity; but it won't do, for he is too well known. Don't let him dupe you. As he tried to do with the Chinaman tailor in Nanaimo by ruining two of his Raymond machines in order to foist one of his inferior counterfeits upon him; but did not succeed.

You can only get the GENUINE NEW YORK SINGER SEWING MACHINE from W. H. ADAMS, the only authorized agent for British Columbia. 1m*

AYER'S Ague Cure has saved thousands of lives in the malarial districts of this and other countries. It is warranted a certain and speedy remedy, free from all harmful ingredients. *

UNBELIEVING BRADLAUGH.

Forcibly Ejected from the Lobby by order of the Speaker, whose action was Sustained

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—An immense crowd to-day cheered Bradlaugh when he entered the palace yard on his way to Westminster hall, some time before the assembling of the house of commons. On Bradlaugh attempting to enter the house he was quietly removed from the lobby and escorted by the police into the yard, where he stood conversing with a friend.

In the commons Labouchere raised a question of privilege that the resolution of the house in regard to Bradlaugh only excluded him from the house, whereas he had been removed from the lobby, and he moved that the officials were therein exceeding authority.

The speaker replied that he considered it his duty to order Bradlaugh's removal, and added "The door of the house is closed." Cheers of the crowd outside were audible inside of the house. Gladstone supported the speaker and said Labouchere's motion was untenable. After his first repulse Bradlaugh remained some time standing in the palace yard with his arms folded and three policemen in front of him barring his way to the house. Gladstone declared Bradlaugh must now be treated as having no more right to enter the house than a stranger. Northcote endorsed Gladstone's view. While Sir Wilfred Lawson was speaking against the illegal conduct of the house, Bradlaugh, who evaded the police, endeavored to force an entrance, but was seized by messengers and dragged from the doors, when he was taken in charge by six policemen, still resisting strenuously, his coat being torn in the struggle. The speaker ruled that the motion of Sir Wilfred Lawson for rescinding the former resolution against the admission of Bradlaugh was irrelevant and the question before the house was the conduct of the speaker in prohibiting Bradlaugh's access to the lobby. After Broadhurst and Cowan had spoken in favor of Bradlaugh, Right Hon. John Bright described how Bradlaugh was brought down to the palace yard in a fainting condition. He thought such scenes unprecedented. He appealed to the opposition to consider their former decision so as to extricate themselves from the present difficulties. He was called to order for irrelevancy. Lord John Manners said Bright's attitude was calculated to encourage Bradlaugh, who had necessitated his forcible removal by attempting to force an entrance. An amendment to Labouchere's motion declaring that the house approved the conduct of the speaker and officials under his orders, was accepted by Gladstone and Northcote and was passed. A number of liberal members quitted the house before a vote was taken amidst ironical cheers. Bradlaugh after his explusion went to Bow street for a summons against the police. The summons was refused but the magistrate advised him to prepare information in reference to the summons desired for assault. The amendment for Labouchere's motion passed, 191 to 9. The minority was composed of Biggar, Finnegan, Cowan, Earl, Broadhurst, Burt and Summers. Tellers—Labouchere and Ashton W. Dilke.

Mrs Annie Besant and two daughters of Bradlaugh were present in Westminster Hall; 200 extra policemen were on duty. The statement that the first removal of Bradlaugh on his attempting admission to the house was effected quietly, appears to be an error. He made the attempt soon after the business of the house commenced. He informed Erskine, deputy sergeant-at-arms, that he was there by mandate of his constituents and would not yield to anything illegal. Upon Erskine putting out his hand to prevent his passage Bradlaugh pushed him and was immediately seized by an usher, with whom he grappled fiercely, shouting "If any one dares hinder me." He was hustled down the member's staircase, grappling with the police and ushers, but no blows were struck. He was ghastly pale when he appeared in the Palace yard, and was still struggling with the police, and was almost fainting. A glass of water was brought and his face bathed. He threatened to come to the house again with such force that the police would be compelled to arrest him. The police cleared the palace yard at 12:30 p. m.

Bradlaugh, in addressing delegates who had come to London to present petitions in his behalf, said he had not quite recovered from violence at the hands of the police, but he intended to go to the commons again, choosing his own time.

LONDON, Aug 5.—Bradlaugh did not appear at Westminster to-day. He appeared in the Bow street police court and presented an information upon which he demanded a summons against the police for assault, which simply alleged that an assault had been committed. The magistrate said this was insufficient; that Bradlaugh appeared to have invited assault; that he should have refused a summons if all the facts were before him, and certainly should on what appears in the information. Bradlaugh intends to proceed further by mandamus.

AT the request of many musical friends and patrons who are anxious to secure the constant services of a skillful Piano Tuner, Prof. A. L. FRANCIS has been induced to remain in Victoria permanently. One hundred leading families have already given him their patronage. Direct all orders to M. W. Waitt & Co.

AERATED SUMMER BEVERAGES. Soda water, lemonade, ginger beer, fruit drinks, &c., with or without ice.
Marble Fountain, Yates street.
* LANGLEY & Co.

W. R. CLARKE, Port Warden, Harbor Master and Shipping Master, has his office at his Salesroom, Yates street. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CONTRADICTION.

TO THE EDITOR:—I WISH TO CORRECT THE statements which have appeared in the *Standard* concerning the loss of my eyesight and senses. I interfered to stop two men from fighting and was struck by one of them. I received a black eye and no other injury. R. OFFERHAUS.
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
PANDORA STREET,
REV. R. H. SMITH, MINISTER,
HOURS OF SERVICE: SUNDAY MORNING AT 11 o'clock; Evening, at 7.
LECTURE—Wednesday Evening at 7½ o'clock.
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NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE NEXT meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates I intend to apply for a license to sell Wines and Liquors by retail at the premises known as the COLONIAL HOTEL on Johnson street.
MYRE BECHTEL.
Victoria, 6th August, 1881. au7 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:

Commencing at the North-east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Cherlakeo;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.
S. A. SPENCER.
Victoria, B C, August 3rd, 1881. au7

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, YALE AND WAY PORTS.

THE ONLY THROUGH LINE. NO CHANGING BOATS

THE FAST AND COMMODIOUS STEAMER
WESTERN SLOPE,
CAPT. WM. MOORE,
Will leave Welch, Rithet & Co.'s Wharf on
WEANESDAY, 10TH AUGUST, AT 1 P. M.
All small parcels must be left in charge of the Purser or Freight Clerk.
For Freight and Passage apply to W. McNish, on the wharf. au7

SEALED TENDERS.

COLONIAL HOTEL
NEW WESTMINSTER.

SEPARATE TENDERS ARE CALLED for until 12 o'clock, noon,
Monday, August 22nd, 1881.
FOR THE PURCHASE OF
TOWN LOT NO. 20, BLOCK 13,
Together with all the improvements thereon consisting of the building known as the Colonial Hotel, situate on Columbia street, New Westminster.

The COLONIAL was built in 1877, is a Four-Story Wooden Building containing 55 Rooms, and is the largest and probably the best appointed and most convenient hotel within the Province. It has water throughout the building. The main floor comprises one large Dining Room, one extra Dining Room, four Private Dining Rooms, one Bar and Billiard Room, one large Kitchen and Offices.
On the Upper Floors are contained four Large Parlors, forty three Bed Rooms, two Bathrooms.
Included in the Basement are large Store Rooms, Wine Room and Cellar.

FURNITURE, ETC.,
The Contents of the Colonial Hotel, an Inventory of which can be seen at our office, Wharf street, intending purchasers to state their own terms when tendering.
au7 J. P. DAVIES & CO.

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THIS CITY WILL reopen Monday, the 22nd inst.
ALEX. WILSON,
au6 Secretary Board of School Trustees.

CANADIAN
CATAWBA WINES.
FELL & CO.,
FAMILY GROCERS, FORT STREET, HAVE RECEIVED a consignment of this
CELEBRATED WINE,
Which may be purchased in lots to suit. au6

FOR SALE CHEAP.
10 TONS (MORE OR LESS) OF
FIRST CLASS TIMOTHY HAY.
Apply to KWONG LEE & CO,
au4 Cormorant street

NOTICE!

To All Whom it May Concern

I HAVE RETURNED TO THE CITY

I. BRAVERMAN.
Victoria, Aug. 3, 1881. au4

THE HARTFORD
INSURANCE CO.,
HARTFORD, CONN.,
ESTABLISHED 1810.
CAPITAL - - - $1,250,000.
HAVING BEEN APPOINTED
AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA
FOR THE ABOVE COMPANY,
THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED TO
TAKE RISKS AT CURRENT RATES
TURNER, BEETON & CO.,
AGENTS.
WHARF STREET.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. OFNER,
IMPORTER & WHOLESALE GROCER
OFFERS FOR SALE IN LOTS TO SUIT:
1000 KEGS SUGAR OF ALL GRADES,
CANADIAN TOBACCOS.
Columbia Twist, Gold Bars, Bird's Eye Solace and Black Bird.
AMERICAN TOBACCOS.
J. B. PACE'S 6 and 12 inch Twist and Gold Bar,
P. LORRILLARD'S Bullion Grade and Sailor's Delight.
FINE CUT TOBACCOS.
Old Judge, Fragrant Vanity Fair and Zalacca.
ALL KINDS OF CIGARETTES
ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF GROCERIES.
☞ ORDERS FROM THE TRADE ARE SOLICITED.
au7dw ADDRESS:—COR. GOVERNMENT and FORT STREETS.

"MEET ME BY MOONLIGHT."
GRAND
MOONLIGHT AND TERPISCHOREAN
EXCURSION!
FROM VICTORIA AROUND RACE ROCKS TO ESQUIMALT AND RETURN.

THE SWIFT AND COMMODIOUS STEAMER
WESTERN SLOPE,
CAPT. WILLIAM MOORE,
Will sail from Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf on
TUESDAY EVE'G, AUG. 9TH, AT 8 O'CLK, SHARP.
FARE HALF-A-DOLLAR.

The Spacious Decks of this Steamboat will be devoted to Dancing. A Cotillion Band will accompany the Excursion and there will be a
GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.
Participators in this affair will be assured a pleasant and agreeable evening.
TICKETS will be on sale at Kurtz's Cigar Store, Campbell's Cigar Store and at the Oriental Hotel.
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EXCURSION
—AND—
BASKET PICNIC
TO PEDDER BAY.

THE FRENCH BENEVOLENT AND MUTUAL Society will give an Excursion and Basket Picnic
ON SATURDAY, 13TH AUGUST.
The first class Steamer PRINCESS LOUISE has been chartered for the occasion and will leave the Hudson Bay Co.'s wharf at 9 o'clock.
Profs. HAYNES and PONCELET's Brass Band will be in attendance all day, and lovers of Dancing may enjoy the same on the green.
FARE for Adults - - ONE DOLLAR
Children between 10 and 15 - HALF PRICE
do Under 10 - - FREE
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I. B. MAYERAU, Treasurer.
JOHN STEVENS,
JOHN WENGER,
A. CASANARE, } Committee
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J. COIGDARRIPE, Secretary.
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THE
WHITE HOUSE
GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA,
—IS—
THE PLACE
TO GET
GOOD
VALUE
FOR
YOUR MONEY
IN
DRY GOODS
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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERsigned are requested to settle on or before the 1st of August next, otherwise the accounts will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.
LANGE & SON.
Victoria, June 24th, 1881. je25

WOOD AND IRON BOUND
SALMON BARRELS.
650 OF THE ABOVE FOR SALE, LOW, in lots to suit by
JAMES BRYAN,
jy27 2m New Westminster.

SUN MUTUAL
LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
HOME OFFICE, - MONTREAL

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Assets January 1st, 1881 . . . $911,132.93
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NEARLY THREE DOLLARS ASSETS TO ONE DOLLAR LIABILITY.

ISSUE ALL KINDS OF
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AND
ACCIDENT POLICIES
At as Low Rates as any Company.

OUR UNCONDITIONAL LIFE POLICES CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING
PRIVILEGES WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE.

1st. The assured may reside in any part of the world.
2nd. The assured may engage in any occupation.
3rd. Thirty days grace are allowed for the payment of renewal premiums.
4th. The policy may be revived within one year of lapse.
5th. A paid-up policy will be given after three annual premiums are paid.
6th. Loans will be made on policy after being two years in force.
7th. This policy will be indisputable on any ground whatever after being two years in force.
8th. If any difference arises it may be left to arbitration.

OUR NEW ACCIDENT POLICIES
Are Straightforward and Untechnical

And offer as new conditions:—Fifteen days' grace for payments. If no claim be made for five years the sixth year will be allowed free of charge and policy NOT VOIDED by engaging in a more hazardous occupation than that assured against, but policies will be paid in proportion to new occupation.

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MARK COHEN, General Agent.

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AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
JAMES ABRAMS, M. P. P.,
AGENT AT NANAIMO.
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B. C. R. A.
THE EIGHTH
ANNUAL PRIZE MEETING
OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA
RIFLE ASSOCIATION
WILL BE HELD AT
New Westminster,
ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, THE 10TH, 11TH AND 12TH AUGUST, 1881.

Competitors from Victoria will be conveyed by the Hudson Bay Company's steamer at reduced fares for the round trip.
E. FLETCHER, Hon. Sec.
Victoria, 23d July, 1881. jy24

NOTICE.

FOR EXCELLENT PASTURE,
THOROUGHBRED BERKSHIRE PIGS &
HIGH GRADE SHORTHORN CATTLE.
Apply to W. F. TOLMIE
je22 3m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WALTHAM WATCHES,
—AT—
C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,
WHO HAS BEEN APPOINTED BY THE COMPANY
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KEY WINDERS
—IN—
SOLID
STERLING SILVER
CASES,
$15
AND UPWARDS.

STEM WINDERS
AND SETTERS
—IN—
SOLID STERLING
SILVER CASES
$22 50
AND UPWARDS.

These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM MANUFACTURE and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.
THE SAME MOVEMENTS IN GOLD CASES AT VERY LOW PRICES.
ja15 A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE.

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WANTED
A BRICK MOULDER. Apply at the
au6 DRYDOCK, Esquimalt.

TENDERS WANTED.

FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING, SIZE 40x100.
GRAND STAND—100 feet long;
FENCING—3000 feet
JUDGES' STAND,
ON THE
AGRICULTURAL FAIR GROUNDS,
AT
THE WILLOWS.
Plans and Specifications to be seen at the office of J. P. Davies & Co., wharf street, where Tenders will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, TUESDAY, Aug 9th, 1881. [au6] JOHN PAYNE.

MEN WANTED
FOR THE
YALE-SAVONA RAILWAY.
CARPENTERS,
ROUGH CARPENTERS,
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LABORERS.
In want of employment can obtain the same at Remunerative Rates on application to
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Parties engaged by Mr. Gouge will be forwarded to Yale by the Steamer Western Slope. jy30 1w

WANTED
A STRONG GIRL TO TAKE CARE OF CHILdren Apply at MRS. NAGLE'S
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TEACHERS WANTED FOR ANGELA COLLEGE.

A COMPETENT FRENCH TEACHER; ALSO, AS Resident Governess, a lady competent to teach Drawing.
Applications to be made in writing to
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OFFER FOR SALE:
PICKLES—Crosse & Blackwell's, in qts. pints.
MUSTARD—Coleman's, in ¼ lb tins.
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CHICORY—In 56-lb tins.
TAPIOCA—In barrels.
LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTER SAUCE.
MELLOR'S SAUCE.
SARDINES—Halves and quarters.
VINEGAR—In hhds., ¼-casks & octaves.
CANDLES—Price's Belmont.
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Saturday, 13th Aug., 1881,
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FIFTEEN [15] STATION
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Section Houses
On the Line of the
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Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Office of the Dominion Government Agent at Victoria, or at the Government Railway office at Yale, on and after the 4th of August. Separate Tenders will be received for the Houses numbered on the Specifications as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 9 and 10, which are to be completed on the 31st October, and for the Houses numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, which are to be completed on the 30th Nov., or Tenders may be sent in for the whole collectively.

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H. S. ROEBUCK,
Secretary
Office of Dominion Government Agent,
Victoria, B.C., 1st Aug., 1881. au2

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG 7TH, 1881.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug. 6—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Aug. 6—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Maude, New Westminster

PASSENGERS.

Per stmp LOS ANGELOS, from San Francisco via Portland—Dr Edgar and 1 chdn, C G Taylor, J Irvin, John Picken, J Treadwell, C L Blakel, Miss Lizzie Terry, A L Taylor, L C Smith and wife, T Patterson, wife and 2 chdn, Thos Jones, G W Reynolds and wife, Gov Newell, wife and 2 daughters, and 60 in steerage.

Per str ENTERPRISE, fm New Westminster—Mrs Wadhams, Miss Maggie H Williams, Miss Peers, Miss Thain, Judge Crease, Capt Raymur, A E B Davie, A Churton, W Harvey, S Young, R Otterhaus, Quagliotti, Mrs McMillan, Miss Smith, Cresfield, A Crosby, McLaughlin, Milby, J Allison, E Harrison, Mrs Ferris.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, fm Puget Sound—Pollard, Bonnelli, Mrs Tealson, Mrs Rogers, Mrs Bolles, Paul Peterson, J Brennan, M Cooke, T Lowther, Wadhams, wife and daughter, Miss Richardson, B Peal and wife, Cohn, Colbert, Miss F Tucker.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, fm New Westminster via Departure Bay—Hon G A Walkem, Messrs Todd, Spencer, Westgarth.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp LOS ANGELOS, from San Francisco via Portland—H Saunders, T Lubbe, A L Francis, C C Smith, CC, Welch, Rithet & Co, C G Major, Baker & Son, J Cunningham, W McColl, A Bossi & Co, HS, C Strouss & Co, Jno Weiler, J Sehl, JAG, Thos Earle, Wells, Fargo & Co.

BIRTHS.

At New Westminster, on the 4th inst., the wife of R B Kelly, Esq., of a daughter.

DEATHS.

The funeral of Wm. Smithurst, who was killed at the drydock, will take place THIS DAY at 3:30 p. m. from his late residence, and from St. John's Church at 3:45.

At New Westminster, on the 3rd inst., Frederick, eldest son of Mr. J. W. French, aged 7 years and 7 months.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province.

CRUSHED.

Dreadful Accident at the Drkdock.

Yesterday morning about nine o'clock, while a gang of men were engaged in excavating at the drydock site, a mass of clay weighing about a ton fell upon an elderly man, named Wm. Smithers, who was working below, and crushed him into an almost shapeless mass. Death must have been instantaneous, for when dug out by the laborers who flocked to the spot from all parts of the works the poor man's head was found to be smashed and every bone of the body broken. Work was suspended for the day and in a few minutes after the workmen had retired with the body some 30 tons more of the clay gave way and fell upon and covered the spot where the rescuers had stood. The deceased, who leaves a wife and six children, was an old and faithful workman for the city corporation and only went to work at the drydock on Thursday. He was a native of England, aged about 52 years, and came to the province in 1863.

The Northern Pacific.

The Northern Pacific railway scheme is outlined in the Chicago *Tribune*. Villard expects to have 6000 miles in operation in two years, and to feed the main line with thousands of branches. He has 40,000,000 dollars and more in hand to do all this, and arable land grants equal in area to the state of Illinois. Its charter gives the company a double line and so a double land grant on the Pacific slope. The main line will be extended to Puget Sound at once and ultimately to the British boundary line on the Pacific.

A Canard.

We find the following in the Seattle *Post* of yesterday: "We are informed that Onderdonk, the Canadian Pacific contractor, who bought the three contractors out on the Pacific (having already one division awarded him) has given up the sections bought by himself. Great difficulty has been met in obtaining help, a heavy per cent. continually leaving his employ. He will hold his original single section."

CANADIAN WINES.—Perhaps no branch of Canadian industry has made more rapid strides in the last fifteen years than that of the cultivation of the vine. Then but a few acres altogether could be found in Canada, but now hundreds of acres are devoted to vine culture. Above all others the wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards, of Pelee Island, occupy the highest place in public estimation. The location of the Island has doubtless had much to do with this superiority, situated 15 miles south of the most southern point of the Canadian main land and the largest of the far-famed group of grape growing islands in Lake Erie, it enjoys several weeks of mild fall weather more than upon the mainland. By the latter fact the Pelee Island Vineyards are enabled to grow the Catawba to perfection, which is an impossibility upon the Canada main. The Wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards are today to be found upon the wine lists of most of the leading hotels in Canada and are obtainable from most of the leading family grocers and wine merchants. Fell & Co. have received per steamer Idaho a shipment of the above celebrated wines. See advertisement. *

A CANADIAN SYNDICATE has offered to build the Vancouver Island railway. The Canadian company, it is said, will be a formidable rival to the American syndicate, which is also trying to get the Vancouver mineral land and coal mines. The proposals to build the Island road are now the result of the vigorous efforts which are being made to complete the Canada Pacific.—*Toronto Mail, 25th ult.*

OREGON.—A German named Algeshenn, residing at Reedville, in a fit of passion shot his daughter through the arm, then, thinking he had slain her, rushed into the woods and destroyed himself.... Gen M. V. Brown died at Lower Soda, Linn, County, on the 3rd. He was brigadier-general of state militia.

PIANOS AND ORGANS for sale or hire at Bagnall's old established music store. *

Marine.

The ship Mark Tyler is on the way to load lumber at Hastings.

Ship Belvidere from Nanaimo with coal arrived at San Francisco on the 4th.

Steamship Dakota, hence on the 30th ult., arrived at San Francisco on the 3rd inst.

Barque Zoe, from Victoria, is at Portland, Or.

The French bark Prospere sailed from San Francisco for Burrard Inlet on the 4th. She will load lumber for Iquique.

Four vessels are lying at Seabeck, W. T.,—the Olympus, American girl, Revere and Mary Winkelman—the latter having recently been launched at that place. To load these vessels the mill is running on full time.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 5.—The strength of the freight market received a very severe shock at the commencement of the week caused by arrival on Saturday and Sunday of twenty-seven vessels suitable for wheat, increasing the engaged list to 58,320 tons and disengaged list to 13,031 tons. There was also a determined effort to break the market and that it has remained firm throughout which is looked upon by many as sufficient proof that the position of freights is for the present impregnable and that no material fluctuation will occur during the balance of the calendar. There is one point not generally noticed that gives strength to the belief in high freights, which is the situation of supply. During the past week some 40,000 tons have been taken by exporters and there are about 100,000 tons more stored at tide water which are also in the hands of shippers. This for the present makes them, to a great extent, independent of wheat holders. The total arrivals since last report have a carrying capacity of nearly 60,000 short tons and whole fleet in port has a capacity of 110,100, so there is, of the estimate above is correct, an ample supply of wheat in shippers' hands for immediate wants, though not excessive. Ships that arrived disengaged have been in demand, and there are but four remaining free. These are held firmly, spot charters show the market has been steady with increasing firmness at the close. There is also a demand for ships to arrive and £3 7s. 6d has been refused for iron tonnage.

The steamship Los Angelos, Capt. Carroll, arrived last evening at 6 o'clock from San Francisco on the 1st inst. *via* Port Townsend. She experienced strong head winds and a heavy sea for two days out then very fine weather for the rest of the trip. Reached Port Townsend early yesterday morning and left again in the afternoon, bringing 102 tons freight for this city. She will leave for Wrangel and Takou to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The Churches.

The newly-appointed rector of Esquimalt parish, the Rev. Charles Howard Badgeley, M. A., of Jesus College, Oxford, is now on his way here from England. The services at St. Paul's Church will be taken by the Ven. Archdeacon Woods to-day when the evening services will be resumed at 7 p. m.

Rev. Mr. Watson of Seattle will preach the sermon at Christ Church Cathedral this morning, and Rev. Mr. Allen will preach this evening.

THE ROAD FROM NEW WESTMINSTER TO PORT MOODY.—Great pressure has been brought to bear on the local government to induce them to construct the short piece of road from this city to the head of Port Moody. The will and the means, however, are two different things; the government would be glad enough to do it, but the means are lacking. Our citizens may be sure that the road will be made, if possible, but they should remember the fable of Jupiter and the wagoner: let them put their shoulder to the wheel.—

The above, from the *Guardian* of yesterday, is a polite way of telling the people that if they wish the road made they must build it themselves. But it is bitter irony to advise the Westminsterians to "put their shoulder to the *wheel*," when the road is impassable for a donkey. As to the government having the will and not the means, that sounds strangely to Victorians, who know that the government is so flush of means that it is actually repairing Government House by day's work!

YESTERDAY'S EXCURSION.—The splendid H. B. Co.'s steamer Princess Louise left her wharf yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the committee of management of the Mechanics Institute with nearly 500 excursionists on board. Esquimalt harbor was the first point visited and in steaming round the war ships there and dipping her flag the gallant tars and marines gave the excursionists three hearty cheers. She then proceeded past Race Rocks till off Otter Point when her prow was turned towards Victoria where she arrived at 7:45 p.m. All enjoyed themselves thoroughly, some in viewing the grand scenery and others in dancing on the lower deck where Professor Palmer presided at the piano. The excursion was a great success in every way and reflected much credit on its promoters.

SHOPLIFTING.—Yesterday Officer Sheppard arrested an Indian on a charge of stealing boots and shoes from Mr. H. Mansell's store. The Indians are expert shoplifters and watch their opportunity while the shopmen are engaged with customers to steal the goods. In this case the boots and shoes were pawned with Uncle Aaronson, who delivered them up on call. Subsequently a stolen vest was identified by Mr. McLean, of the Scotch House, and a shirt by Mr. J. Wilson, Government street. Two more Indians belonging to the gang were arrested by Officer Sheppard during the afternoon.

TAXES.—The government are engaged in pushing delinquent taxpayers to the wall. Two lists of property in island districts to be offered at auction are published, and as Mr. Charles Wilson, Barkerville; Mr. William Foster, Lillooet, and Mr. C. A. Semlin, Cache Creek, are gazetted as courts of revision, it is reasonable to suppose that early governmental raids are meditated in those districts.

THE GAME LAWS.—Mallard ducks may be shot from 15th July till 1st March; grouse, partridge, prairie fowl, quail, meadow-lark, thrush and robin from 10th August till 20th Feb.; deer, elk, reindeer, cariboo and hare from 10th August to 10th January.

MR. A. OFNER, family and wholesale grocer, Government and Fort streets, has received recent heavy shipments of sugar and tobacco of the best makers and brands. See advertisement.

WATER FRONT.—A story is abroad that the Dominion government are about to lay claim to certain portion of the foreshore of Victoria harbor under the provisions of the treaty of union.

THE Hat Creek farm was sold the other day for three thousand dollars to W. Cargyle, of Deg Creek.

"PILING ON THE AGONY."

The Grand Jury of New Westminster Disgusted With the Government so Present It.

[Guardian.]

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 3rd, 1881.

The Assize Court opened at 10 o'clock a. m. The grand jury presented their report which was read by the registrar and is as follows:—

NEW WESTMINSTER,
August 2nd, 1881.

To the Honorable Mr Justice Crease:—

The Grand Jury of the city of New Westminster, now assembled, beg leave to approach your Lordship with every sentiment of respect, and with the strongest confidence in your Lordship's desire for the welfare of this community; at the same time to inform your Lordship that presentments from the various Grand Juries, for some time past, have been made with the view of bringing to the notice of the Government evils then and still existing which, for anything they know to the contrary, have been consigned to the waste paper basket; at any rate little or no notice appears to have been taken of them; therefore, the present Grand Jury deem it a duty they owe to themselves and to the public to express their extreme sense of regret at the inutilty of past presentments, and to refrain from visiting any of the public institutions or of making any other presentment on the present occasion.

W. D. FERRIS,
Foreman on behalf of the Grand Jury.

HANDS FOR THE FISHERIES.—The steamer Princess Louise arrived yesterday morning from New Westminster via Departure Bay. Only 53 Chinamen could be procured at Tacoma for the Fraser River fisheries. It is next to impossible to get them to leave the Columbia; and attractions are too strong to induce white men to come for a few weeks' work. Only about 30 white men have reached Seattle since the close of the salmon season on the Columbia. The steamer left Tacoma on Thursday evening and reached New Westminster Friday morning, leaving in the afternoon for Departure Bay. A heavy fog outside detained her for some time yesterday morning.

DETERMINED ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE. The Indian woman named Annie who was fined for being drunk and disorderly yesterday attempted suicide in gaol on Friday evening before getting over the poisonous effects of the bad whiskey she had taken. It appears she knotted a handkerchief, put it through the bars of her cell door, fastened the other end securely round her neck and then threw herself down on the floor. A few minutes afterwards one of the turnkeys with the assistance of Mr. Hutchinson cut her down and stretching her out on the corridor applied a few buckets of water and suspended animation returned.

KAMLOOPS ASSIZES were held on the 28th ult., Hon. Mr. Justice Robertson presiding and Eli Harrison, Esq., representing the Crown. There were only three cases, all Indians, two for larceny in Kamloops and one for a like offence committed at Nicola Valley. The two former were convicted and sentenced to 9 months' imprisonment; the latter was convicted and sentenced to 3 months' imprisonment.

POLICE COURT.—A. McLean, Esq., J. P., occupied the bench yesterday in the absence of the Police Magistrate through indisposition. The only case was that of a clootchman who was picked up on Friday afternoon on Government street in a state of intoxication. She paid the usual fine and promised to leave the city. Two other Indian d. and d.'s were arrested by officer Sheppard yesterday morning; but they were too drunk to appear.

FORESTERS' PICNIC.—Foresters and their friends wended their way by water and land yesterday afternoon to the Gorge, where they held their annual picnic. Hearty enjoyment was the order of the day and dancing the order of the night till a late hour. All was harmony, fun and frolic from the beginning of the sports in the afternoon to the end of the dancing last night.

THE LANDING BY-LAW.—A serious blunder occurred in the holding of the election on this bylaw. The hours of opening and closing the polls should have been 9 to 5 instead of 10 to 4, and the franchise should have been extended to all who have paid a tax into the city treasury, instead of to realestate and license ratepayers. Another election will have to be held.

BEAR DEPREDATIONS.—A voracious specimen of this *plantigrade carnivora* has been amusing himself lately and growing fat meanwhile among the sheep of Mr. R. Wier of Metchosin. A sharp lookout is being kept, and bruin will have to exercise considerable discretion to save his own hams from confiscation.

HARVESTING has commenced in Metchosin. H. Helgesen, Esq., M. P. P., has a field of barley already cut and the wheat harvest will be generally commenced throughout the surrounding districts next week.

A WARNING.—The young man who followed a lady along Quadra and down Fort street last evening had better take warning and not repeat his actions as he is known. His description has been handed to Supt. O'Connor.

PERSONALS.—Governor Newell of Washington Territory and wife are on board the steamship LOS ANGELOS *en route* for Sitka. D. Blair Lord, Esq., and wife will also leave to-morrow for a trip north by this steamer.

FOR THE NORTH.—The steamer Otter left yesterday forenoon for Wrangel and way ports with a full freight and several passengers, among whom were the Rev. W. G. Faulconer and wife, Mr. S. A. Spencer and Mr. C. Kent.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived yesterday at 2:30 p. m. with passengers and 40 head of beef cattle, brought down by Messrs. S. Young and H. Murray from Nicola for Goodacre & Dooley of this city.

ENGLISH, French, German and American Grand, Square and Upright Pianos and Organs at Bagnall's, Government street, Victoria. *

WM. LANE BOOKER, the British consul at San Francisco, is about to be married to a lady of wealth and many accomplishments.

YALE.—Mr. Roycraft is appointed deputy Sheriff....Mr. J. Boag has arrived to open the school....Jealousy impelled Jones to shoot Pollock and wife.

SEE Bagnall's $60 Organ. Just the instrument every family ought to have *

MR. JUSTICE MCCREIGHT finds nothing to do at Cariboo.

New Westminster.

[Herald.]

During the trial of a prisoner at the late Assizes a 10-year old son of the prosecutor was called, when a question arose as to admitting his evidence. The following colloquy took place:—

Attorney-General—Do you know what telling a lie is?

Boy—No.

A. G.—Do you know what telling the truth is?

Boy—Yes.

A. G.—If you don't tell the truth you tell a lie, don't you?

Boy—No.

A. G.—Why?

Boy—Because I don't tell a lie.

A. G.—Do you know the Bible?

Boy—No.

A. G.—Why don't you tell a lie?

Boy—Because I dursn't.

A. G.—Why dursn't you?

Boy—Because I would be sent to the States Prison.

His evidence was then admitted.

The question of domestic help is a sore one here just now. The fish canneries are clearing the kitchen of Chinamen.

Messrs. James Laidlaw & Co. shipped 200 cases of salmon to South America the other day. We believe this is the first shipment from the Fraser for the season.

Mr. Holmes has completed his work on the trunk road to Burrard Inlet. What he has done has been done well, but it falls very far short of what the road requires or is entitled to.

Our sea-side watering places at Burrard Inlet present a very lively appearance just now. Quite a number of ladies and children are up from Victoria, besides several families from this city.

[Guardian.]

It is now positively arranged that the line from Port Moody to Emory will be commenced early next spring.

BAGNALL'S stock of Book and Sheet Music is immense.

Eastern Canada Mail.

[Per Str Geo. E. Starr.]

EAST SAGINAW, July 23.—Yesterday detective Murray, of Toronto, and officer Summerfield, of this city, went to a farm two miles from Coleman, which is forty miles east of here, and arrested Henry McCormick for the murder of John Pangman in the township of Mulmur, Ont., on June 7th, 1870. The murder arose out of a quarrel at a logging bee.

HALIFAX, July 22.—The deposit of $25,000 to secure to the city the construction of a graving dock by an English company represented by a Mr. Turner, was made to-day. It is understood that the company has been organized in London, and Messrs. Duncan McDonald and A. Charlebois, of Montreal, are said to have secured the contract for the construction of the dock.

RIMOUSKI, July 22.—To encourage capitalists to establish manufactories in this place the Town Council have passed resolutions exempting manufacturers from taxation for twenty years and offering many other advantages.

QUEENSTOWN, July 22.—The body of the young lady found in the Niagara river, opposite this place, on Tuesday last, has been recognized as that of Miss Monnica A. Brennan, of Port Jarvis, N. Y. Mr. Brennan, her father, arrived at Lewiston yesterday morning, and on exhuming the body immediately recognized it as that of his daughter. He states that she left home a few days since suffering from mental aberration.

QUEBEC, July 22.—The Local Government are calling for tenders for the construction of the foundation of the new Parliament House.

Winnipeg has voted $1,500 and the Manitoba Government $500 to defray the expenses of receiving the Governor-General. Private subscriptions, it is believed, will be liberal.

HALIFAX, July 23.—A. J. Steele, bookseller and publisher of the *Star* newspaper at Wolfville, has disappeared, and there is the best reason to believe that he has absconded and taken with him a considerable sum of money. A fire occurred some time ago by which the printing office, which was in a separate building, was burned. Steele had $600 insurance in his own name on the plant, and it is now supposed that he set fire to the place himself to get the insurance. After the fire his friends very generously offered to, and it is said did, advance him $800 with which, and the $600 insurance money, he intimated his intention to purchase a new printing plant.

A. GILMORE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Johnson Street.

Has just received a large consignment of Spring and Summer Goods direct from the best English and Canadian factories, consisting of Men's and Boy's Suits, Shirts and Drawers of all kinds, Socks, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Oilskin and Rubber Goods, which will be sold twenty per cent. less than regular prices.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere.

P. S.—Garments made to order in the latest and most approved style. 3m *

Commerce House.

NEW GOODS EX DAKOTA.—Lawn Tennis, Cherry Ripe, Tuscan and Porcupine Hats and Bonnets, French Bonnet and Hat Wreaths, Bugle and Steel Laces and Ornaments, Tuscan and Cremi Lace, Shaded Chenille and Bugle Feathers, Gold, Cremi, Black, White and Colored Tips, Bulgaria and Leghorn Shady Hats in Ladies' and Children's.

D. SPENCER.

DEATH IN THE COFFEE POT.—The public are cautioned against purchasing imported California ground coffee. Its cheapness is its only recommendation. The ingredients are of the vilest description, as anyone using it will discover should he examine the grounds. During the perihelia of the planets people should be careful what they eat and drink. Don't allow your grocer to palm off his trash upon you, because it pays him better to sell it than the good article. Ask for FELL & Co.'s Coffee and take no other. *

ASHCROFT RACES.—The annual meeting at Ashcroft will take place on the 5th and 6th October next. Many interesting races with liberal purses have been arranged and owners of fast stock should prepare for this, the most important meeting in the province. *

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral is mild and soothing in its immediate and apparent effects, and possesses far-reaching and powerful healing qualities which its persistent use will demonstrate in any case of coughs, colds, throat or lung troubles of any kind. *

REVISED EDITION OF THE NEW TESTAMENT.—A full supply just received by M. W. WAITT & Co. dw *

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Mary F. Lyons, aged 15, committed suicide yesterday, by taking strychnine, because her mother forbade her to leave the house during the evening.

NEVADA, Cal., Aug. 3.—Tom Bryan, a gambler and outlaw, who has been the terror of the community for some time past, was fatally shot this morning by special Policeman E. Wetmore during a barroom dispute.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Baroness Burdett-Coutts and husband go to America in October to remain several months.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—The harvest in Schleswig-Holstein has never been so bad as this year. Most of the farmers are selling their cattle and horses, owing to a scarcity of fodder.

ROME, Aug. 3.—The *Capitol* says the idea of inviting all ex-galley slaves and near relations of those who lost their lives in prison or on the scaffold through the influence of the pope or king to participate in a meeting on the 7th inst. in favor of an abolition of land guarantees is much approved by all liberals, several of whom informed the committee organization that they will attend the meeting, which promises to be exceptionally important and of very great significance.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The liberal leaders of the house of lords, except Lord Granville, had a conference with Gladstone lasting over an hour to-day to ascertain what amendments to the land bill the government is willing to accept. Earl Granville was present in the house of lords to-day, although he had to be wheeled to his seat. Lord Denman's motion for the rejection of the bill on house going into committee to-day was rejected without division.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—In the house of lords the first amendment to the land bill providing for the exclusion from operation of the land bill, parts of estates managed on the English system, was adopted without division. The amendment stood in the name of the Duke of Argyll, liberal, as did also a further amendment, which was carried: 219 to 67.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Baker Pasha will leave England shortly to take command of the Turkish troops in Tripoli.

The commander of the North German Lloyd's steamship Donan writes to newspapers complaining of several hours' delay to his vessel, caused by his supposition that the dory Little Western contained shipwrecked persons. He says that the experiment of crossing the Atlantic in small boats is now a sporting venture made for money and notoriety. Every shipmaster is morally obliged to investigate small boats to discover whether they are cases of distress. It is to be feared that some shipmaster, after being fooled in the way he was, may not take the trouble and lose time in future.

SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—In the house of commons to night, Harcourt, secretary, aead a dispatch from U. S. Minister Lowell, informing Earl Granville that he had wired Blaine on the 19th of July an account of a conversation he had with Tenterden, under foreign secretary, respecting the infernal machines at Liverpool; to which he had received a reply from Blaine stating that the national, state and municipal authorities are strenuously endeavoring to discover the authors of the plot, in which, he had reason to believe, very few were engaged, and that no pains will be spared in discovering and prosecuting them.

A dispatch from Durban says the Transvaal convention has been signed, and the government of that territory will be transferred to the Boers Monday next.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—In the house of commons Gladstone gave confirmation of the news of singing the Transvaal convention.

Trevelyan, secretary of the admiralty, gave confirmation of a report that two torpedo boats had been built in the United States for the British government.

GUSTEN, Aug. 4.—Emperor Francis Joseph was enthusiastically received by the people. He drove at once to the residence of Emperor William, who advanced to meet him. The emperors embraced affectionately and remained in conversation in the castle three quarters of an hour.

BERLIN, Aug. 4.—Renewed attacks by mobs on the shops and synagogues of Jews are reported in various places. In Pomerania some shops were wrecked. The mobs were dispersed by the police.

It can be stated as a fact that papers are beginning to fear that the conservatives may get a majority in the forthcoming elections. Negotiations have consequently been opened with various liberal factions for an agreement to give their united support in each district to the liberal candidate who appears to have the greatest chance of being elected. Elections of magistrates in Alsace and Lorraine show that the German element has won more influence. In many minor places, and even in Metz, some German candidates have been successful. Popular agitation here increases as election day approaches, and it is now evident that Germany has not for many years been the arena of such a fierce and bitter struggle. The reason for this state of affairs is that neither the government nor the other party has any fixed programme, and thus personal attacks are the order of the day.

UNITED STATES.

LITTLE ROCK, Aug. 4.—On Monday, August 1st, at 6 o'clock, Mrs. Dr. S. W. Bird, living near Hamilton, Roanoke county, gave birth to a girl child weighing twelve pounds, with its brains on the outside of its cranium. The child is well developed, has a fine form and no deformity, save that the eyes are inclined to stand out. The child has no forehead save about half an inch from thence the head recedes and the cranium is entirely gone, and where the frontal bone should be is the child's brain. The brain has its usual covering of membrane, but no skin or any other covering exists. On the back part of the head, about an inch and a half from the upper part of the neck is a coat of black hair, an inch and a half long. Its features are regular. The child is healthy, well formed and doing well.

BUFFALO, Aug. 4.—Maud S. trotted a mile in 2:10¾ to day.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The *Tribune* thinks that Gorham is still laboring under the delusion that he is the candidate of the republican senators for secretary of the senate.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The state department still refuses to say what will be policy of the government in case Russia demands the extradition of Hartmann. Russia has not even asked for an examination of the case yet.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—A *Tribune's* Washington special says: A gentleman who conversed with one of the wardens of the district jail last evening elicited the following information in regard to Guiteau. When first arrested the prisoner appeared to be laboring to gain the good will of those about him. He was easily satisfied and found no occasion for grumbling. Lately he has changed and exhibits great irritability, manifesting a wish to wreak vengeance on any attendant who offends him. When the president's relapse took place he learned of it through some unknown way and manifested his satisfaction. He adheres to the story that he was the instrument of God's will in the matter, and assumes to believe that the death of the president would be a confirmation of his theory. His study of the Bible seems to be for the purpose of finding precedents for his act. He points to the command given Abraham to slay Isaac as one precedent, saying that as in that case God furnished a substitute for the victim, in this he may choose to save the life of the victim in another way.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The *World*, regarding the arrest of Sam, a Chinese merchant, who is accused of having stolen several thousand dollars worth of goods from R. Isaacs & Brother, importers of Chinese and Japanese goods, Broadway, says: Sam has stores in Philadelphia, Charleston, Atlantic City, San Francisco, New Jersey and Washington. It is said Sam is very wealthy, and he has been only five years in the country.

The *Times*, noting certain comments of the Canada postoffice on the mail bag controversy, says: They appear to mean that an artificial scarcity of mail bags in the United States was created for the benefit of certain favored contractors, and that employés of our postoffices were only too ready to encourage their needy brethren on the other side of the border in using property which did not belong to them. There seems to be room here for further investigation.

COMING DOWN IN THE WORLD.

The Checquered Career of an Ex-London P. O. Overseer.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Last evening officer Thompson arrested an apparently old man who was singing in Madison Square Park, and attracting a very large crowd. He soon discovered that he was in reality a young man, wearing a wig of hair and a beard. When the large crowd which had been listening to the singer knew he had fooled them, and that he was a strong and healthy Englishman, their rage knew no bounds. Cries of "Hang him," "Mob him,"

"TAR AND FEATHER HIM,"

Were heard on every side, and had it not been for the timely appearance of another officer, serious trouble might have resulted. The officer hurried the singero ff to the stationhouse. He was arraigned in the Police Court this morning and told the following story: "My name Henry M. Fairweather: I was overseer in London post office; I left the post office a few years ago on account of ill health; I am an actor and elocutionist, and I have played in all the best theatres in London as Dick Deadeye, as the Captain and as the Admiral in "Pinafore;" I have often played in the Olympic Theatre in London; during the last eight years I have been

CHOIR-MASTER IN ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL

In London; I was also in the piano business in Thurlow Place, London; I recently failed in business, and the choir of St. Paul's Cathedral presented me with a purse of £13 with which to come to America, where I hoped to make some engagements at good theatres; I left my wife and four children in London to settle up my affairs, and started for America in the steerage of the steamer Sardinian; on June 30th I landed at Quebec after having endured all the discomforts of a steerage passage in a crowded steamer; I then went to Montreal, and, accompanied by Mr. Sparrow, manager of the Theatre Royal of that city, I journeyed toward New York, where I

HOPED TO FIND EMPLOYMENT.

I had in my pocket just $10, and about twenty letters of recommedation to prominent men in this city; I put up at the Astor Place Hotel, and started out to form acquaintances in the metropolis; I met with disappointment on every hand, and finally I called on the English Consul; he said he could do nothing for me but sent me to the St. George's Society; this was my last hope, but here I was doomed to disappointment; the society would not assist me; this was yesterday afternoon; I had been living at restaurants for fifteen cents per day for two weeks, and then I was penniless; I was too proud to sing on the streets without disguise; I could never ask for a penny, but I thought if I disguised myself to represent an aged man, and then sang some of my songs upon the streets, some person might drop a few pennies in my hat; I went to my room in Astor Place Hotel, and removing my clothing, I donned all the garments you now see upon my person; I then made up my face to

LOOK LIKE AN OLD MAN,

And tied on the beard and wig which you see before you in the hands of the officer; I ventured out, and soon found my way to Madison Square Park; I began to sing, and made my voice tremble as much as possible; I asked no one for a penny, but accepted with thanks the few pennies which were dropped into my hat; I had not sung long when the officer arrested me; I would not have done this had I not been starving."

Prisoner told his story with tears, and apparently was much affected; he said he had eaten nothing since yesterday morning, and then had only a crust. Officer Hugh McAvoy went to his hotel and soon returned with stew, coffee and other provisions, which prisoner ate eagerly. Justice Bibby sentenced Fairweather to Blackwell Island for six months. When he heard the sentence he broke down and sobbed bitterly.

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	STERLING.
Amount Proposed for Assurance during the year 1880 (2773 Proposals)	£1,921,427 12 8
Amount of Assurances Accepted during the year 1880 (2252 Policies)	£1,436,701 9 3
Annual Premiums on new Policies during the year 1880	£46,694 2 0
Claims by Death during the year 1880, exclusive of Bonus Additions	£437,037 3 5
Amount of Assurances Accepted during the last five years	£6,193,186 11 8
Subsisting Assurances at 15th Nov., 1880, (of which £1,416,383:14:10 is Re-assured with other offices)	£19,378,482 17 3

INVESTED FUNDS £5,693,149 18 11
ANNUAL REVENUE £849,994 7 11

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21	$12 80	39	$23 80
22	13 10	40	24 70
23	13 50	41	25 60
24	14 00	42	26 50
25	14 70	43	27 40
26	15 20	44	28 50
27	15 80	45	29 60
28	16 40	46	30 60
29	16 90	47	31 60
30	17 50	48	32 70
31	18 10	49	34 10
32	18 00	50	35 70
33	19 20	51	37 60
34	19 80	52	39 60
35	20 40	53	41 70
36	21 10	54	44 00
37	22 00	55	46 10
38	22 90		

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A BYLAW to Authorize the Sale of Lands within the City of Victoria, upon which Taxes have been due and in Arrear for Three Years.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT that all lands or parcel of lands within the City of Victoria upon which taxes have been due and in arrear for three years shall be sold and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes;

BE IT ENACTED therefore by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. The Assessor and Collector of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed, whensoever taxes on any land have been due for three years preceding the Fifteenth day of July, 1881, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands liable under the provisions of this Bylaw to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same; and the Mayor shall authenticate such lists by affixing the Seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation and the other shall be returned to the Assessor and Collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the Seal of the Corporation, commanding him to levy upon the land for the arrears due thereon, with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the Assessor and Collector to make enquiry before effecting a sale of lands for taxes to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to enquire into or form any opinion of the value of the land.

3. The Assessor and Collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands to be sold, and shall include therein, in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargeable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this Bylaw to be paid to him, and shall cause such list to be published in some daily paper in the City of Victoria for a period of three months preceding such intended sale.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid, he will proceed to sell the lands for the taxes on a day, a time and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The Assessor and Collector shall, at least three months before the time of sale, also deliver to or deposit in the Postoffice to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown a notice to the same effect shall be posted up on the land intended to be sold, and shall also, at least three months before the time of sale, post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Postoffice Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall be the Ninetieth day after the publication of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said Ninetieth day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at Twelve o'clock, Noon.

7. If at the time appointed for the sale of the lands no bidders appear, the Assessor and Collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the Assessor and Collector shall sell at Public Auction so much of the land as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first; and in offering such lands for sale it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the Assessor and Collector fails at such sale to sell such land for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due, he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day to be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of such adjourned sale; he shall give notice by advertisement in one of the local papers in which the original notice was advertised and on such day he shall sell such lands for any sum he can realize and shall accept such sum as full payment of such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay to the Assessor and Collector the amount of the purchase money, the Assessor and Collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the Assessor and Collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Treasurer of the Corporation and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds of such sale to the said Treasurer.

12. The Assessor and Collector, after selling any land for taxes, shall give a Certificate under his hand to the purchaser stating distinctly what part of proportion, as the case may be, of the land and what interest therein have been sold; or stating that the whole lot, section or estate has been so sold and describing the same, and also stating the quantity of land, the sum for which it has been sold and the expenses of sale; and further stating that a deed conveying the same to the purchaser or his assigns according to the nature of the estate or interest sold will be executed by him and the Mayor, on his or their demand, at any time after the expiration of one year from the date of the Certificate if the land be not previously redeemed.

13. The Assessor and Collector shall be entitled to five per centime commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

14. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1881."

A. McLEAN,
Chairman.

Reconsidered and finally passed this 27th day of July, 1881.

NOAH SHAKESPEARE,
Chairman.

(C.S.)

WILLIAM LEIGH,
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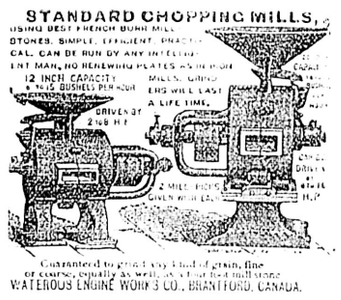

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CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT NO PERson shall be allowed to use water from the City Water Works for garden purposes, or fountains, or street sprinkling, west of Cook street, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. each day.

Any person found guilty of an infraction of this notice after Sunday the 17th inst., will be prosecuted under the "Water Works Act, 1873," for wilful waste of water.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., 11th July, 1881. jy15

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 53,734 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 91,971 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	24,745 00	Gold Bullion	6,008 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	120,155 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,165 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	226,171 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	137,121 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,657 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$424,805 00	Total Amount of Assets	$447,922

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend ..... $756,000.

VICTORIA, B. C., 9th July, 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstracts a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1861. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of July, 1881.
(Signed) J. H. TURNER, J. P.
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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$371,062 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$181,409 84
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,036 66	Gold Bullion	9,306 24
Deposits not bearing Interest	763,762 01	Landed and other Property	20,111 46
Deposits bearing Interest	9,714 82	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 4,088 74
	792,476 82	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	555,969 22
			560,057 96
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	654,027 50
		Do. without the Province	76,877 01
			711,899 24
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,172,573 89	Total Amount of Assets	$1,461,075 50

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881 ..... $1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... per cent. per annum
Amount of last dividend declared $43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend ..... $ 96,000

VICTORIA, B. C., 23rd July, 1881.

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1861."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 23rd day of July, 1881.
(Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT SEALED Tenders, endorsed

TENDERS FOR LIGHTING THE CITY

Will be received at the City Clerk's office

Until July 30th, 1881,

AT 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

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The number of years for which the Exclusive Privilege will be required must be stated in the Tender.

The area required to be lighted is about 1 7-10 miles from North to South and 1 1-10 miles from East to West.

SATISFACTORY BONDS will be required for the faithful performance of the Contract.

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WM. LEIGH,
C. M. C.

CITY HALL, VICTORIA,
May 13th, 1881. my13dwtd

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